

AVAPCD MAKES ITS MARK AT BUSINESS TO BUSINESS EXPO

In its continuing efforts to reach out to the community, the AVAPCD's Community Relations & Education (CRE) staff joined local businesses for the Antelope Valley Board of Trade's 2000 "Business to Business" Expo on June 21. The EXPO was held at the Antelope Valley Fairgrounds in Lancaster and was attended by families and business professionals alike. The monopoly-themed event attracted several visitors throughout the region.

CRE staff distributed materials galore relating to air quality, and responded to questions from Expo visitors. The AVAPCD booth was visited by more than 300 Expo attendees. The event also provided the first opportunity to introduce Operations Manager, Bret Banks to the business community.

Staff networked with representatives from a variety of local businesses and agencies, including the Quartz Hill Chamber of Commerce, which invited the AVAPCD to participate Quartz Hill's 2000 Street Faire and Car Show on September 30, 2000. Vendor booths will line both sides of 50th Street West from Avenue M to L-8 in Quartz Hill. The Faire will feature 1960's entertainers "*The Drifters*" and "*The Marvelettes*". We hope that you will join us!